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In re application of:
Kazuaki EJIRI

Appln. No.: 10/749,599

Filed: December 31, 2003

For: **CHEMICAL MECHANICAL POLISHING
METHOD, AND WASHING/RINSING
METHOD ASSOCIATED THEREWITH**

Art Unit: 2818

Examiner: Calvin LEE

Docket No.: IGM-02001

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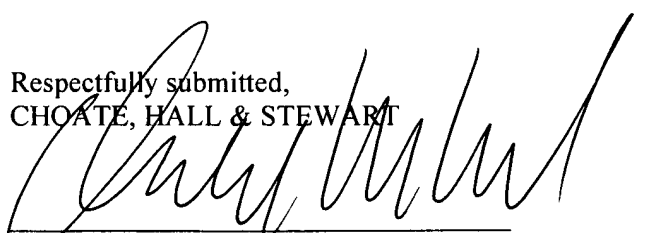
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

This is a request to extend the period for filing a response in the above-identified application for one month from July 27, 2005 to August 27, 2005. Enclosed is a check for \$120.00 to cover the extension fee.

Although we believe that we have submitted the correct amount to cover the requested extension of time, the Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any deficiencies to our **Deposit Account No. 031721**. Two originally-executed copies of this form are being submitted.

Should there be any questions after reviewing this paper, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (617) 248-4038.

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